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To whom it may concern:

I am writing in support of House Bill 7171 to continue payments for telemedicine. As a primary care physician, I have been able to help my patients avoid unnecessary exposures to COVID-19 while keeping them well by being able to provide good continuity of care via telemedicine. I have always been a firm believer that there are many medical conditions that can be treated over the phone or video and provide just as good of care as an in person visit. These last several months have proven that to me as this is how I have been caring for my patients. I would strongly encourage the continued payments for telemedicine in parity with in person visits.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

David Candow, MD